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SEC. 12. *Definitions.*—For the purpose of this law the word “milk” shall be construed to include cream and buttermilk so far as is applicable. The word “milk” shall also be construed to mean evaporated or condensed milk so far as is applicable: *Provided*, That this shall not apply to evaporated or condensed milk contained in hermetically sealed packages, labeled distinctly with the name of the manufacturer who prepared or put it up and the brand under which it is made and sold. The word “person” may mean firm, partnership, or corporation. The words “producer” and “dairy” shall be construed a person keeping more than one cow, or place in which more than one cow it kept, whose milk is to be sold or to be exposed to sale. Other words in this act shall be taken in their usual significance or meaning. When milk is bought or sold by the quart or gallon, the gallon of 231 cubic inches and the quart of 57.75 cubic inches shall be the standard and shall be understood: *Provided*, That this law shall not apply to buttermilk except when the dealer makes a regular daily delivery.

SEC. 13. Any person violating any provision of this ordinance shall on conviction pay a penalty of \$25.

SEC. 14. That chapter 21 of the ordinances of the city of Raleigh and all amendments thereto, and all ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

#### **Foodstuffs—Inspection of—Meat. (Chap. XXV, Ord. July 19, 1912.)**

SECTION 1. That there shall be elected by the board of aldermen of the city of Raleigh a food inspector, who shall hold office at the pleasure of the board, and who shall be proficient in and have knowledge of pathological evidence of diseases, sanitation, hygiene, bacteriology, analytical chemistry, veterinary surgery, and who shall be paid such a salary as the board of aldermen may determine.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the food inspector to inspect the dairies furnishing milk to the city of Raleigh, and report the condition thereof as required by the ordinances; to examine cows in said dairies and to examine the milk as required by the ordinance; he shall examine all meats sold within the city of Raleigh as required by the ordinances, and examine all slaughter places within which said meat is prepared for market, and shall examine ice cream, and the places in which it is made and from which it is sold, as required by the ordinance and shall, as the case may be, give such bacteriological, chemical, or other examinations as required by the ordinances on the subjects above set out.

SEC. 3. He shall perform the duties now performed by the city veterinarian and shall perform any and all duties required of him in any other ordinance heretofore or hereafter enacted.

SEC. 4. Section 18 of chapter 9 of the ordinances of the city of Raleigh is hereby repealed and the office of city veterinarian is hereby abolished.

SEC. 5. He may, by and with the consent of the board of aldermen, appoint an assistant, who shall, when so appointed, have the same rights and authority of the food inspector, subject to the control of the food inspector, which said assistant shall hold office also at the pleasure of the board.

SEC. 6. That the rules and regulations of the United States governing meat inspection, as amended, effective May 1, 1908, issued under authority of act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in regard to sanitation and ante mortem and post-mortem inspection, condemnation, and disposal of animals and meats unfit for human food, stamping, tagging of carcass or part of carcass inspected and found fit for food, shall be the standard applied to all acts of butchers, inspector, and other persons, firms, or cor-

porations engaged in or who shall sell fresh meats in the city of Raleigh or within its jurisdiction.

SEC. 7. On and after the 1st day of September, 1912, no person, firm, or corporation shall operate any slaughterhouse or pen for the dressing of meats for use in the city of Raleigh, unless the same shall be licensed by the board of health of the city of Raleigh. Application for license must be made in writing to the board of health, showing the name of the applicant, occupation, residence, location of the place of business, and his experience in operating such an establishment,

SEC. 8. No person, firm, or corporation shall sell, or offer for sale, any fresh meats in the city of Raleigh unless the same has been slaughtered and inspected as provided in this ordinance, nor keep or expose or offer for sale for food, nor keep the same for purposes of food within the city of Raleigh, any emaciated, tainted, putrid, decayed, or unwholesome or diseased meats. In case of keeping, exposing, or offering such for sale, the food inspector or his assistant shall have the power and authority to seize, condemn, and confiscate the same.

SEC. 9. The board of health shall prescribe and furnish forms for reports, tags, etc., necessary for use by the food inspector or his assistant, and shall receive and check all reports of said food inspector or assistant relative to meats, which said inspector shall file such reports as often as required by the board of health. The said board shall receive all complaints and adjust all differences arising between the inspector or his assistant and those having property inspected, not otherwise hereinafter provided for.

SEC. 10. That no fresh meats or carcasses of animals shall be offered or exposed for sale in the city of Raleigh for use in the city of Raleigh, unless the same shall be inspected by the food inspector or his assistant, and shall show the stamp of approval of the United States Government or the food inspector of the city of Raleigh. For every inspection of the carcass of an animal so made by said inspector or his assistant, the owner thereof, the person, firm, or corporation, selling or offering same for sale, shall pay the said inspector the sum of 25 cents for each inspection of a carcass which weighs 100 pounds or over, and the sum of 10 cents for the inspection of each carcass which weighs less than 100 pounds, which said sum shall be collected at the time of inspection by said inspector or his assistant, and by them shall be paid to the city clerk, who shall keep a record of same.

SEC. 11. That the requirements of these ordinances shall not be applicable to farmers who are not engaged in the fresh-meat business, but they may bring their meats into the city for sale and to the city market during the hours to be designated by the board of health, and there have the same inspected in accordance with the requirements of this ordinance, and for the same fees and for the purpose of such inspection said meats shall have accompanying them, held by their natural attachments, all of the following organs of the animals, to wit, head, liver, heart, spleen, and lungs.

SEC. 12. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance, or interfering in any manner with the food inspector or his assistant in the performance of their duty under this ordinance, shall upon conviction be subject to a penalty of \$10, and his license may be revoked by the board of health.